

FORBIDDEN WORLDS

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THOSE STRANGE,
BLINDING LIGHTS
--- **WHAT ARE
THEY?**

TWO FLAMING MYSTERIES
THAT CHANGED A MAN'S
LIFE! SOLVE THEIR
GRIPPING SECRET, IN...
**"The STRANGE
ONES!"**



Are **YOU**
SKINNY
like I was?

a 90 lb.
weakling
who became
world's
strongest
man



George
Jowett
BEFORE

Just RUSH me your LAST CHANCE COUPON below with YOUR NAME and ADDRESS ON IT
and I'll show **YOU** absolutely **FREE**

How to GAIN UP TO 50 LBS. OF MIGHTY MUSCLES!

And Become a REAL HE-MAN like MANY THOUSANDS of My Pupils in 10 Minutes of FUN a Day

Yes! I'll Show You By My Quick,
Easy Methods How To

**ADD POWERFUL NEW
INCHES OF MUSCLES
around YOUR ARMS,
CHEST, LEGS, etc.**

**How to IMPROVE YOUR
HE-MAN LOOKS 100%.**

**How to BECOME A WINNING ATHLETE
IN ALL POPULAR SPORTS.**

How to BEAT ANY BULLY.

How to DO FEATS of STRENGTH.

**How to be a WINNER in EVERYTHING
YOU TACKLE.**

YES! Your Success Story Can Soon be like John Sill and thousands of my pupils. Think of it — a skinny weakling like you became a **MAGNIFICENT MR. MUSCLES** — won a **BIG SILVER TROPHY**, his name, accomplishments engraved on it and \$100. A few weeks before, everybody picked on John, too weak to fight for his rights. **TODAY** everybody admires John's movie star build, he-man **STRENGTH**, his mighty **ARMS**, heroic **CHEST**, slender **WAIST**, rock-like **TORSO**, broad manly **BACK**, wide military **SHOULDERS**, new popularity with the **BOYS** and **GIRLS**. His winning drive in **ALL SPORTS**, his energy at work and studies.

NO! I don't care how skinny or flabby you are, if you are in your teens, twenties or thirties, I'll show you in just 10 thrilling minutes a day in your home, you can make yourself over by the easy, quick method I turned myself from a wreck to a **WORLD CHAMPION**.

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**DEVELOP YOUR 520 MUSCLES
BY THE GREATEST METHOD!**

Friend, I traveled the world, studying every secret to PERFECTLY develop your body. My "5-Way Progressive Power Method" is **TESTED-PROVED** by hundreds of thousands **LIKE YOU!** **SAVE YEARS**, hundreds of **DOLLARS!** Do as movie stars, champions — John Sill, Jim Norman, Tony Pascarella — did! Mail coupon **NOW!**

**Pick the
kind of
BODY YOU
WANT**
Check ALL Your
Needs —

**WIN
A BIG
Silver Trophy
and \$100
IN CASH**



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and I'll Send You FREE these**

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**PLUS BOOK OF PHOTOS OF FAMOUS STRONG
MEN ONCE WEAK LIKE YOU**



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**I GAINED
60 LBS.**

**OF SHAPELY
MIGHTY
MUSCLES**

This Can Be
YOU in a
Short
Time!

BEFORE

Mailing
Coupon
I was a
125 lb.
6 ft.
skinny
weakling



AFTER

Mailing
Coupon
185 lb.
HEAD-TO-TOE HE-MAN
POPULAR
ATHLETE
You can
be, too!

says **JOHN SILL**

I added 7 inches to
MY CHEST, $3\frac{1}{2}$ IN-
CHES to **EACH ARM**.
No, Pal! You don't
have to be a chick-
en-chested skinny
weakling like I was
only a few weeks
ago.

BEFORE



**THEY CALLED ME
"SKINNY" —
BUT NOW
THEY CALL ME
MR. MUSCLES**

TONY PASCARELLA

AFTER



Thanks to Jowett easy
methods I **GAINED 28 LBS.**
of **MUSCLE - PACKED**
STRENGTH ALL OVER. I won
new handsome looks—great
athletic ability. Now You
do it!

**I BROKE A
WORLD'S
STRENGTH
RECORD!**

BEFORE



JIM NORMAN
became Athlete of
the Year. Lifted
the front End of a 2700 lb.
Car. Quit being a bag-of-
bones weakling like I was.
In 10 minutes of fun a day,
JOWETT CAN DO FOR YOU
ALL HE DID FOR ME! I
gained 25 **TERRIFIC LBS.**
of **HANDSOME POWER-
PACKED MUSCLES.**

AFTER



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like
you do
NOW.

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Dr. Martin's MARVELOUS MUSEUM



EDDY BREWSTER AND **BRENDA** TRENT HAD BEEN NEXT-DOOR NEIGHBORS AND FRIENDS EVER SINCE CHILDHOOD--



IT WASN'T ANY WONDER THAT AS THEY GREW OLDER, THEY GREW CLOSER--



BRENDA-- WHY'D YOU BREAK AWAY FROM ME LIKE THAT?

OH, EDDIE, YOU **KNOW** I LIKE YOU! IT'S ONLY THAT --WELL, I'VE ALWAYS FELT THAT WHEN I GOT SERIOUS, IT WOULD BE WITH A MAN WHO'S FIRM AND CAN STAND UP FOR WHAT HE WANTS--SOMEBODY WITH **COURAGE!**



COURAGE-- THAT WAS THE THING THAT **EDDIE** HAD ALWAYS LACKED! ALWAYS, HE HAD RUN FROM A FIGHT, SHRUNK FROM THREAT OR VIOLENCE--

GOSH, WHY DO I HAVE TO BE THE WAY I AM? GUESS I WAS MADE THAT WAY AND I'LL NEVER BE ABLE TO DO ANYTHING ABOUT IT! BUT I -- I'D HATE TO THINK THAT IT MIGHT COST ME **BRENDA**!



THE POSSIBILITY WAS STRONGER THAN HE THOUGHT -- FOR, A FEW DAYS LATER--

HIS NAME'S **JED HOFFSTRA**-- HE'S JUST MOVED INTO TOWN! HE WAS ALL-STATE QUARTERBACK AT COLLEGE-- AND HE WANTS TO MEET YOU, **BRENDA**!

HE'S GOOD-LOOKING-- AND HE SEEMS SO **SURE** OF HIMSELF! OKAY, BRING HIM OVER-- I WANT TO MEET **HIM** TOO!



AND SO THESE TWO STARTED SEEING EACH OTHER--

LOOK, HONEY, YOU KNOW HOW I FEEL ABOUT YOU! **WHY** WON'T YOU BE MY GIRL?

PLEASE, **JED**-- IT ISN'T EASY FOR ME TO MAKE UP MY MIND! YOU SEE, THERE'S THIS OTHER BOY THAT I'VE ALWAYS LIKED-- **EDDIE BREWSTER**--



WELL, **BRENDA** WAS A WOMAN-- SO WOULDN'T YOU JUST **KNOW** THAT SHE'D GET HER DATES MIXED UP? WHICH IS WHY **THIS** HAPPENED--

B-BUT I HAD A DATE WITH HER TOO-- SHE M-MUST HAVE MADE A MISTAKE--

SURE-- AND **YOU'RE** THE MISTAKE! ARE YOU GONNA BLOW, OR DO I HAVE TO--

PLEASE, BOYS, LET'S--LET'S NOT HAVE ANY TROUBLE! IT'S ALL MY FAULT, SO I'LL GO OUT WITH **BOTH** OF YOU!



EDDIE HAD A MOVIE IN MIND, BUT **JED** HAD OTHER IDEAS--

ANY DOPE CAN GO TO THE MOVIES-- BUT WHEN **JED HOFFSTRA** TAKES HIS GIRL OUT, IT'S TO SOME PLACE **UNUSUAL**! LOOK, I'VE HEARD STORIES ABOUT SOME CRAZY SCIENTIST WHO LIVES BY HIMSELF IN A LOCKED-UP PLACE ON THE HILL-- THEY SAY HE'S GOT WONDERS THERE THAT NOBODY'S EVER ALLOWED TO LOOK AT! WELL, WE'RE GOING UP THERE-- LET'S SEE IF HE **DARES** KEEP ME OUT!



AND SO THEY CAME TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE ECCENTRIC **DR. MARTIN**--

KEEP OUT, HUH? THAT'S FOR SCAREDY-CATS LIKE **EDDIE**! YOU LEAVIN' US HERE, PANTYWAIST?

N-NO! THIS IS AS MUCH MY DATE AS YOURS!



THEY NEXT CAME TO A THICK GATEWAY! AS THEY STEPPED THROUGH IT--

OH-HHH! WE'RE **PRISONERS**!

CLANG!



THEN -- A STRANGE LITTLE MAN APPEARED --

YOU MUST BE THAT CRACKDOME, DR. MARTIN, HUH? WELL, YOU'D BETTER LET US OUTA HERE FAST! YOU KNOW WHO I AM?

I KNOW WHAT YOU ARE -- I KNOW WHAT YOU ALL ARE! YOU, SIR, ARE A BULLYING BRAGGART, BUT YOU HAVE SOMETHING TO BRAG ABOUT -- YOU'RE STRONG, DETERMINED, RESOLUTE!



THE GIRL IS LOVELY, KIND, GENTLE -- BUT SHE ALLOWS HERSELF TO BE SWAYED TOO MUCH BY THE APPEARANCES OF THINGS! AS FOR THIS YOUNG MAN, HE'S WHAT'S TERMED A NICE GUY -- BUT UNFORTUNATELY, A COMPLETE COWARD! AND NOW -- I'LL RELEASE YOU!



OKAY, WE'LL GO NOW! IT WAS WORTH IT TO HAVE THAT SISSY TOLD OFF!

PLEASE DON'T GO -- I SO SELDOM GET VISITORS! COME -- YOU MUST AT LEAST LET ME SHOW YOU MY MUSEUM!



IT WAS A STRANGE MUSEUM -- SEEMING TO CONSIST ONLY OF MODES OF TRANSPORTATION THROUGH THE AGES --



OH -- THAT TIARA SHE'S WEARING! I'VE NEVER SEEN ANYTHING MORE BEAUTIFUL IN MY LIFE!

IT'S ONLY PAINTED ON! IT'S A COPY OF THE **GEORGIO TIARA**, MADE IN 1364 BY NICCOLO GEORGIO, THE GREAT ITALIAN CRAFTSMAN!



IT'S THE SYMBOL OF BEAUTY, TO BE WORN BY ONLY THE MOST BEAUTIFUL OF WOMEN! IT DISAPPEARED HUNDREDS OF YEARS AGO, BUT IT'S RUMORED THAT IT STILL EXISTS, AND SOMEDAY MAY BE FOUND!

IF ONLY I COULD HAVE SOMETHING LIKE THAT!



I'LL GIVE YOU SOMETHING BETTER TO WEAR, AND RIGHT NOW -- MY FRATERNITY PIN!

GOLLY, THANKS! IT -- IT'S WONDERFUL TO KNOW THAT YOU THINK THAT MUCH OF ME!



WELL, YOUNGSTER, HOW'S ABOUT IT? THINK **YOU** CAN GIVE HER ANYTHING **BETTER?**

MAYBE--MAYBE NOT NOW! BUT SOME-DAY I **WILL!** I'LL FIND THE **GEORGIO TIARA**, THAT'S WHAT I'LL DO, AND I'LL BRING IT TO HER! I **SWEAR** IT!



OH, **SURE!** BY THAT TIME, WE'LL HAVE BEEN MARRIED LONG ENOUGH TO HAVE **GRANDCHILDREN!** SO LONG, **DOPE!**



TEARS IN HIS EYES, EDDIE WATCHED THEM DEPART! AND THEN -- HE LAY DOWN AND CRIED--



A GENTLE TOUCH ON HIS ARM AROUSED HIM--

IS THAT ALL YOU'RE GOING TO DO ABOUT IT -- CRY?

WHAT **CAN** I DO? LIKE A FOOL, I HAD TO OPEN MY MOUTH AND PROMISE HER THE **GEORGIO TIARA!** I MIGHT AS WELL HAVE PROMISED HER THE **MOON!**



WELL--AS YOU KNOW, THE TOWNSPEOPLE REGARD ME AS **ECCENTRIC**, TO SAY THE LEAST, IF NOT ALTOGETHER **CRAZY!** THAT'S BECAUSE I DABBLE IN THE **OCCULT!** BUT THE KNOWLEDGE I'VE GAINED HAS LET ME KNOW WHERE THE **TIARA** CAN BE FOUND!

THEN-- YOU'LL TELL ME? YOU'LL HELP ME MAKE GOOD ON THAT **INSANE PROMISE** OF MINE?



BUT IT WASN'T AS EASY AS ALL THAT, DR. MARTIN TOLD HIM! HE COULD FIND THE **TIARA**, BUT ONLY IF HE **EARNED** IT! HE TOOK THE BOY BACK TO HIS MARVELOUS MUSEUM ONCE AGAIN--

LISTEN CLOSELY! THE **GEORGIO TIARA** HAS BEEN HIDDEN SAFELY! IT LIES WITHIN A STRONG CHEST--AND HAS BEEN TRANSPORTED INTO A REMOTE ERA OF THE PAST!

BUT--BUT THEN I'LL NEVER GET IT--BECAUSE HOW CAN I GO BACK INTO THE **PAST?**



DIDN'T IT STRIKE YOU AS STRANGE THAT I SHOULD HAVE A MUSEUM LIKE THIS? DID YOU THINK THAT THESE EXHIBITS WERE JUST TO **LOOK** AT? NO! EACH OF THESE VEHICLES IS A MODE OF **TRANSPORTATION INTO THE PAST!** WHICHEVER ONE YOU RIDE WILL BRING YOU INTO THE EXACT PERIOD IT REPRESENTS! AND IN ONE OF THOSE PERIODS -- **YOU'LL FIND THE GEORGIO TIARA!**



IT'S LIKE A LOTTERY -- LIKE RUSSIAN ROULETTE! EACH ERA MAY BE FRAUGHT WITH DANGER--AND IF YOU FIND THE TIARA, YOU MAY HAVE TO FIGHT FOR IT! ARE YOU GAME, EDDIE BREWSTER?

THERE'LL BE-- **DANGER**--AND MAYBE FIGHTING? YOU KNOW WHAT SORT OF **COWARD** I AM! BUT IF I DON'T MAKE THE EFFORT, I'LL BE GIVING HER TO HIM! MAYBE I'LL FAIL -- MAYBE I WON'T BE EQUAL TO IT -- **BUT I'LL -- T-TRY!**

VERY WELL, THEN! CHOOSE ANY OF THESE--AND **START YOUR QUEST!** YOU'LL BE ALLOWED JUST A SHORT TIME IN EACH ERA, BEFORE YOUR VEHICLE **DISAPPEARS COMPLETELY!** BETTER BE ABOARD IT BEFORE THEN -- OR YOU'LL BE **STRANDED FOREVER IN TIME!**

LET'S SEE, NOW... WHICH SHALL I TAKE FIRST? WELL-- I'LL TAKE THEM IN ORDER! **THIS ONE!**

AMERICAN LOCOMOTIVE
CIRCA 1860

HE MOUNTED INTO THE ANCIENT CAB, PLACED HIS HANDS ON THE CONTROLS! THEN IT WAS AS IF THE OLD LOCOMOTIVE WHIRLED DIZZILY--

THEN -- HIS VISION CLEARED! THE LOCOMOTIVE WAS SPEEDING ACROSS THE PRAIRIE, AND HE WAS THE FIREMAN --

LOOK ALIVE, YOU FOOL -- CAN'T YOU SEE THOSE **INJUNS** ATTACKING US?

THERE WASN'T TIME TO ANSWER! NEXT MOMENT --

THAT ARROW--IT CREASED THE ENGINEER!

WHIZZZZ!

THWOK!

HE HAD TO GET BACK, WARN THE PASSENGERS AND TRAIN CREW --

INDIANS! FIGHT FOR YOUR LIVES!

THEY WAGED THE DEADLY BATTLE FROM INSIDE THE CAR — BUT THE REDSKINS' FIRE ARROWS TURNED THE TIDE --



HE RACED BACK OVER THE ROOF OF THE TRAIN, WITH THE WILD IDEA OF STARTING IT AND RELYING ON THE WIND TO PUT OUT THE FLAMES! BUT AS HE DID SO --



THE CAPTURE OF THEIR CHIEF CAUSED THE INDIANS TO RETREAT! BUT WITH ONE DANGER OVERCOME -- ANOTHER PRESENTED ITSELF!

YOU SURE SAVED OUR LIVES BY JUMPIN' THE CHIEF! DON'T KNOW HOW WE CAN THANK YOU!

HOLY SMOKE -- THE LOCOMOTIVE'S STARTING TO DISAPPEAR! I'LL BE STRANDED BACK IN 1850 IF IT GETS AWAY WITHOUT ME!



A SWIRLING, DIZZYING SENSATION -- AND NEXT MOMENT, THERE HE WAS, BACK IN DR. MARTIN'S MARVELOUS MUSEUM --



EDDIE WAS TREMBLING -- SO SCARED HE COULD HARDLY STAND UP! BUT HE KNEW HE HAD TO GO AHEAD AND CHOOSE ANOTHER MODE OF TRANSPORT BACK INTO THE PAST! HE HOPED THAT THIS ONE WOULDN'T BE AS BAD --



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YOUR CAR MUST START INSTANTLY! — OR MONEY BACK!

Save Money With Amazing New Liquid That Makes "Dead Batteries" Spring to Life Instantly
— Makes New Batteries Trouble-Free for 10 Years or More!

NO MORE BATTERY TROUBLE FOR THE LIFE OF YOUR CAR!



Detroit, Michigan—A National Airline, the battery manufacturers, trucking companies, yacht clubs and diesel users... are praising the amazing chemical, non-acid liquid—**"VX/6"**—that sends a surge of never-fading power through your battery **INSTANTLY**... even if your car has been in dead storage for 6 months... in broiling desert heat... in 40° below zero arctic weather... in jungles where rain falls for 90 days in a time... in sub-zero... in around the world air flights!

Yes, a brilliant chemical engineer has perfected an entirely new liquid formula that makes even a "dead battery" spring to life instantly... that makes any battery—old or new—good for 10 years or longer! Now you can start your car in one second... never have a tow-town battery for the rest of your life!

This is the most electrifying development of the past many years... has cost 100 million dollars!

Imagine! For only a few pennies you can have 24-hour a day insurance against battery failure from now on! No more stopping dead on crowded highways, in tunnels, on bridges... no more expensive tows, no more losing out \$25.00 to \$40.00 every year for new batteries! Now—even if your present battery is two years old and can't take another charge—you can give it more power than it had when new simply by pouring **"VX/6"** into each cell... and the instantaneous new power will never fail you... you can start instantly—within one second—at least 27 times a day for the next 10 years! There never was a guarantee like this in automotive history! Think of what this means to you. Your new or old beat-up battery must turn over instantly 27 times a day for the life of your car... or we'll pay the cost of getting your battery started anytime, anywhere between now and the time you sell your car... and refund your money, too! This is an unconditional guarantee! Only a battery additive that has been subjected to every kind of "torture test" on over 10,000 cars over a period of 5 years before it was released to the public would dare make such a guarantee! Battery Additive is recognized and accepted as the Bureau of Standards. Used to improve internal propulsion systems, by industry, airline, diesel locomotives, battery manufacturers, air conditioning plants, truck fleet owners. Ships at sea, such as the Queen Mary and Queen Elizabeth use similar devices to insure against failure by famous Lloyd's of London!

A NATIONAL AIRLINE RECHARGED TRUCK BATTERIES EVERY 3 DAYS—NOW 3,750 STARTS... EACH BATTERY GOOD FOR 10 YEARS MORE!

National Airlines used fork-lift trucks... each averaged 125 starts a day on busy airfields. As a result, EACH BATTERY HAD TO BE RECHARGED EVERY THREE OR FOUR DAYS! Since **"VX/6"** was added, each truck has been started on an average of 1,750 times without one recharge! Result—savings of thousands of dollars, savings of 100 hours... and each battery is now good for at least 10 years more of over 100 starts a day!

Why you are forced to buy a new battery in the next 8 months if you drive your car regularly!

As you know, your battery supplies the electric current for the ignition, all your running equipment—PLUG POWER TO CRANK YOUR ENGINE!

When you use any of the equipment (radio, heater, windshield wipers, lights, etc.) or even you leave your car stand idle, the battery discharges electric current. Two things happen:

1. Some of the active materials (from the lead plates shed or left on forming useless

"battery mud") **THIS IS THE FIRST REASON YOU LOSE POWER.**

2. Since all storage batteries contain a number of cells, each of which encloses several lead plates and separators, and since each cell is filled with water and sulphuric acid, an electrochemical action must take place in which the acid coming in contact with the lead plates makes electrical current. When the plates are partially covered with hard, inactive lead sulphate, the electrochemical action cannot take place and the battery goes dead!

How you must save with "VX/6"

1. Every time you recharge your present battery you shorten its life and you add to the cost of the battery. With **"VX/6"** you can stop worrying about recharging your battery... never shorten its life... never add expenses to your car overhead!

2. Every time your battery runs down, you strain the generator of your automobile. A dead battery will eventually ruin the other electrical equipment in the engine. Only with **"VX/6"** can you extend the life of your battery and prevent the costly damage a dead battery will cause!

3. A dead, irreparable battery may constitute expensive, sometimes damaging, long charges. You will save this costly road service immediately with **"VX/6"** in your present battery.

4. Your present day battery must run down regardless of the amount of use it receives. Since your battery is not a lifetime battery you will eventually have to spend \$25 to \$35 on a new battery. Only with **"VX/6"** in your battery can you insure against a dead battery and additional battery expenses.

5. If you depend on your car, and can't use it due to battery failure, you will run up additional expenses in transportation.

Thousands of testimonials like these

We highly recommend **"VX/6"** to everyone. No danger of overcharge... never any need to recharge a battery with this amazing liquid in batteries. Gives batteries a never-fading surge of power... that lasts and lasts.

L. A. Miami Battery Exchange
Miami, Florida

Started using **"VX/6"** four years ago. Saved us \$400 on maintenance and replacement costs... to say nothing of inconvenience of batteries "going dead" J. S. Associated Diamond Cabs
Miami, Florida

Have been using **"VX/6"** in our 30 trucks for past few years. This non-acid formula is years ahead... it means we can use worn-out batteries for years more, has tripled and more the life of present batteries. I. G. Sunny Brook Farms
Miami, Florida

Tried **"VX/6"** in batteries with two dead cells after pouring in **"VX/6"** BATTERIES WITH DEAD CELLS SHOWED FULL CAPACITY! Same results on thousands of other batteries tested. L. J. Imperial Battery Company
Miami, Florida

A million times better than sulphuric acid... 400% more economical, more efficient in blistering heat... NOW OUR TRUCKS ENJOY FASTER STARTING, BRIGHTER LIGHTS AND BETTER OPERATION OF ALL ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT! J. S. National Mover Co.
Miami, Florida

Have used **"VX/6"** in all batteries for over three years. NOT ONE SINGLE BATTERY FAILURE YET! THIS IS A MIRACLE AND A SAVINGS OF THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS FOR A BIG FLEET SUCH AS OURS. A. S. Mechanics Overall Service
Miami, Florida

Most of the batteries traded in are "weak" or "dead" BUT **"VX/6"** TURNED OLD BATTERIES INTO NEW BATTERIES... NOT ONE REPLACEMENT YET! IT'S AMAZING! B. S. Dixie Motors
Miami, Florida

Over 30,837,000 batteries went dead in traffic in 1956!

It's a true fact—as you can easily find out. Imagine! Over thirty million cars "stopped dead" in heavy traffic... in the middle of bridges... in tunnels... on speed highways! Whole weekends were ruined! Families stood shivering by the roadside while the driver had to walk to put in an emergency call for a tow truck. Thousands of others had to flag down cars and taxis and offer ten dollars or more for a push! Still others were killed on highways trying to get the car started! Play safe—pour a little **"VX/6"** in each battery cell and you can have complete peace of mind... for years to come. No matter how old your battery cell is... you can take cross-country trips, travel over steaming deserts, plough through snow... leave your car standing in the rain—YET YOUR BATTERY WILL ALWAYS TURN OVER THE VERY INSTANT YOU TOUCH THE STARTER BUTTON... 27 times a day for the life of your car with amazing **"VX/6"** to safeguard you.

World famed Magazine tells the astonishing story!

Yes, a famous magazine released the exciting story of how a battery can last longer than the life of a car! It tells how the battery is every motorist's greatest headache. If left unattended, it dies. If it gets low in subzero weather, it is likely to crack. It usually has to be replaced every year-and-a-half! Yet now you can have a battery that runs up to 10 years or more! Now you can have the same lifetime power as an expensive nickel-cadmium battery famous the world over... simply by pouring in a little **"VX/6"** into each cell!

Public Service Laboratory tests with "VX/6"

PROCEDURE: A discarded Delco 6 Volt battery was used for the following tests. History of this battery indicated that it had failed in use and was unable to hold a charge.

I. W. added **"VX/6"** and charged the battery.

II. Battery was installed on 1955 Ford. With lights and radio on and ignition off. Self starter was run until battery was so run down, lights would not function or starter turn over. After less than two minutes with lights turned off battery started car motor with a surge of power regained during brief 90 second interval.

III. Battery was subjected to 40°F below Zero temperature for a continuous 24 hour period. Tests after 24 hours indi-



cated ability to instantly start motor and operate electrical system at full efficiency. No loss of voltage occurred.

IV. Battery was subjected to an oven temperature of 160°F. No loss of electrolyte solution or power was indicated by test, and ability to perform starting and electrical functions remained at full rated efficiency.

V. After treating battery with **"VX/6"** and restoring power, 25% increase in light brightness was noted.

With "VX/6" in your battery you will find improvements you never expected!

1. Your headlights are 25% brighter.
2. Check your battery—will show higher terminal voltage.
3. Car starts immediately—time after time.
4. Extra reserve of power for radio, heater, etc.
5. Your battery recuperates its power faster.
6. Strong enough to start in sub-normal, cold or heat.

TAKE THIS 4-SECOND BATTERY CHECK RIGHT NOW! DELAYS ARE COSTLY!

Open the hood of your car and look at the battery. The green or white formations you see around the anode and cathode, on the top and sides is **"sulphation"**. Sulphation means your battery is collecting mud... the plates are flaking and the battery is dying! UNLESS YOU ADD **"VX/6"** IMMEDIATELY, YOU WILL HAVE TO SPEND \$25.00 to \$40.00 FOR A NEW BATTERY!

INSURED BY FAMOUS LLOYD'S OF LONDON!

Yes, the most famous insurance company on the globe—Lloyd's of London—have insured **"VX/6"** for products liability. It's tested and approved by the "Public Service"... you KNOW that if it doesn't do everything we claim... you get your money back now... next year... In 1960 or in 1967. No new product ever released to the public was ever backed by such careful testing... was ever endorsed by so many giant companies, was ever used by so many countries and leaders of industry!

MAIL NO-RISK COUPON... THIS VERY SECOND!

VOLTEX COMPANY Dept. ACG-9
One Park Avenue, New York, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

I'm sold! Send me a giant-sized bottle of **"VX/6"** immediately... enough for either a three or six cell battery! It is understood that if my battery doesn't start instantly... and if it doesn't start instantly for at least 27 times a day for the life of my car... I can claim my money back. I will pay the postman just the amount checked below plus C.O.D. charges:

☐ \$2.99 ☐ 2 for \$5.00

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Zone _____ State _____

☐ SAVE 50% C.O.D. FEES, by sending \$2.99 or \$5.00, check, cash or money order and if it is understood YOU WILL PAY THE POSTAGE. Same money-back guarantee!

A SWIRL OF WIND -- A RUSH OF DIZZINESS! AND NOW HE FOUND HIMSELF--

HOLY HANNAH, I'M UP WAY ABOVE THE CLOUDS! -- ULP!



HE CAME DOWN -- OUT OF THE FRYING PAN AND INTO THE FIRE! THIS WAS OLD ENGLAND--AND EDDIE WAS IN TROUBLE--

HONEST, FELLAS-- WHATEVER IT IS-- I DIDN'T DO IT!

EGAD-- HIS SPEECH HATH A STRANGE RING!

AND HIS RAIMENT IS EVEN STRANGER! CAREFUL-- HE MAY BE A WIZARD--



YOU GOT ME WRONG-- I'M A FRIEND! I'LL PROVE IT! HERE-- HAVE A CIGARETTE --



--HAVE A LIGHT!

AVANT! 'TIS BLACK MAGIC!

SEIZE HIM! HE IS A SERVANT OF SATAN!



POOR EDDIE WAS BORNE TO A NEARBY CASTLE--THRUST INTO A DUNGEON FILLED WITH OTHER UNFORTUNATES --

I AM ACCUSED OF SORCERY!

AND THEY CALL ME A WITCH!

WE ARE ALL CHARGED WITH PRACTICING THE BLACK ARTS--AND ALL OF US ARE TO BE EXECUTED AT NOON-- TOMORROW!

G-GULP-- M-ME TOO?



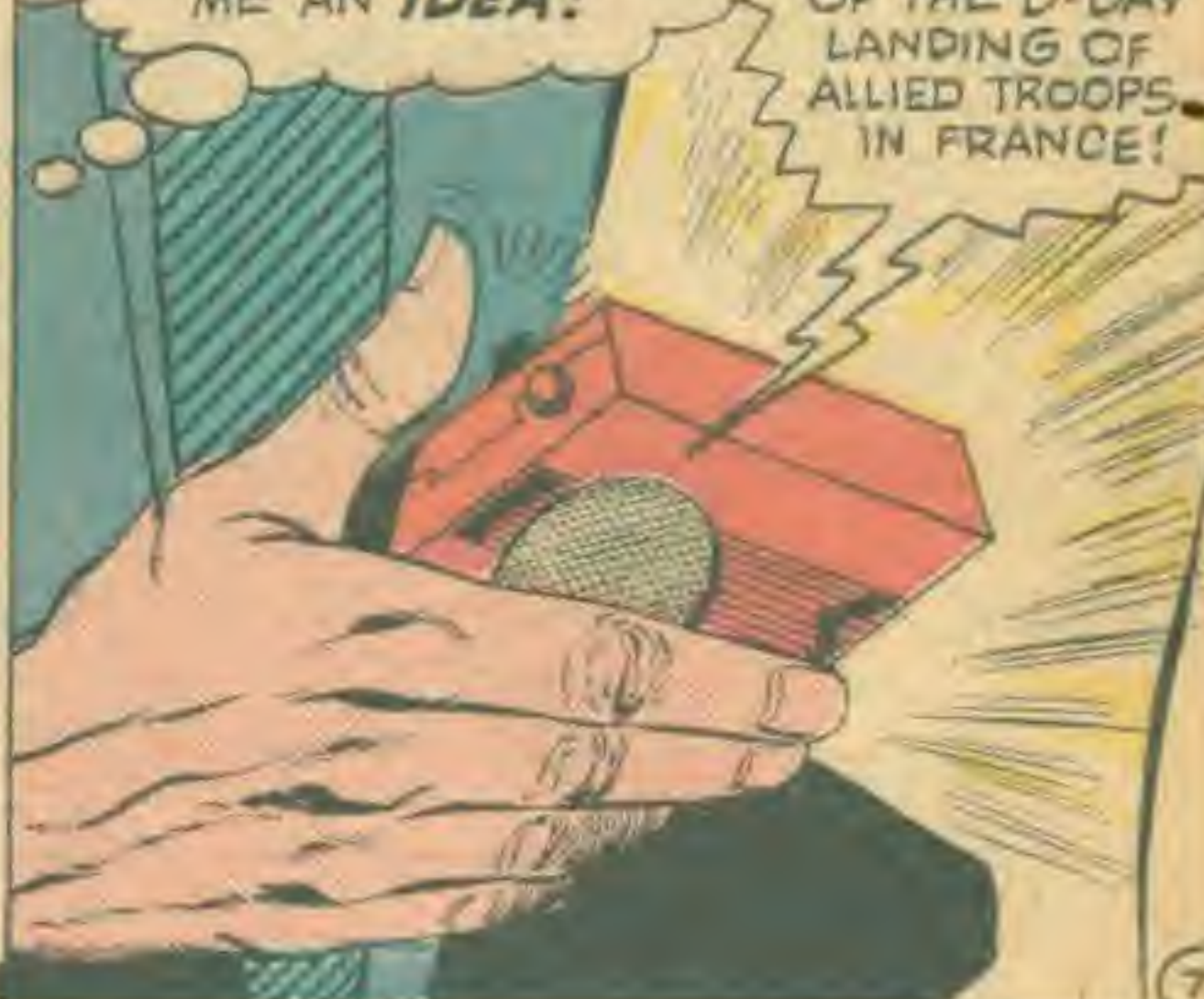
AND SO --NEXT DAY--

THERE'S MY HORSE -- BUT NOW I'LL NEVER BE ABLE TO GET TO IT AND RETURN TO THE 20TH CENTURY! SAY-- WHAT'S THIS IN MY POCKET?



WHY, IT'S MY TRANSISTOR RADIO! I MAY BE BACK IN THE YEAR 1200, BUT IT'S STILL BROADCASTING FROM 1958! AND THAT GIVES ME AN IDEA!

WE ARE NOW ABOUT TO PRESENT A SPECIAL RE-ENACTMENT OF THE D-DAY LANDING OF ALLIED TROOPS IN FRANCE!



AS THEY LED EDDIE TOWARD THE PLACE OF EXECUTION -- A VIRTUAL RIOT BROKE LOOSE!



ONCE AGAIN, EDDIE RETURNED JUST IN TIME! HIS MOUNT WAS VANISHING -- HE HAD TO JUMP FOR IT --



A WHIRLING, DIZZYING RUSH -- AND THERE HE WAS, BACK IN THE MUSEUM --



ALL RIGHT -- HE'D GIVE IT ONE MORE TRY! PERHAPS THIS TIME, HE MIGHT SPOT THE TIARA DURING THE COURSE OF HIS JOURNEY THROUGH TIME --



HE LANDED AMIDST A STRANGE, DESOLATE LANDSCAPE --





OH-OH! DON'T LOOK NOW, EDDIE, BUT SOMETHING'S HAPPENING TO YOUR MOUNT! WHILE YOU'RE TALKING -- HE'S **DISAPPEARING!**



WHAT A FIX! HE'S GOING TO BE LEFT BEHIND -- BUT **NO!** WATCH WHAT'S HAPPENING!



BACK AGAIN -- AND **STILL** WITH NO SIGN OF THE TIARA! I'M SCARED PLENTY -- BUT I'VE **GOT** TO KEEP ON! I'LL TRY THAT SHIP FRAGMENT -- AND **PRAY!**



THE MOMENT HE MOUNTED TO IT, IT WAS AS IF HE WERE CAUGHT IN A WHIRLING VORTEX --



HIS VISION CLEARED -- AND HE WAS ABOARD A GALLEON IN THE SPANISH MAIN -- UNDER ATTACK BY PIRATES --



BUT IT WAS USELESS -- FOR THE FIGHT WAS GOING AGAINST THEM --

WE -- WE'LL HAVE TO STRIKE OUR COLORS -- AND THROW OURSELVES ON THEIR MERCY!

CRASH!



AND SO THEY SURRENDERED, AND WERE TRANSFERRED ABOARD THE ENEMY CRAFT ALONG WITH THEIR CARGO! AND AS THEIR GALLEON WAS SCUTTLED, THEY LEARNED WHAT A PIRATE'S MERCY MEANT --

LET 'EM WALK THE PLANK, EVERY MAN-JACK OF 'EM!

WE'LL START WITH **THIS** ONE!

NO -- **NO!** I -- I DON'T EVEN **BELONG** HERE --



STANDING ON THE PLANK, HE TURNED -- SAW THE OPEN TREASURE CHEST THAT THE BUCCANEERS HAD CAPTURED FROM THE GALLEON --

SAY -- DR. MARTIN SAID THE TIARA WOULD BE INSIDE A STRONG CHEST! THAT'S THE FIRST CHEST I'VE SEEN IN MY ADVENTURES INTO THE PAST -- AND IT'S A **STRONG** CHEST!



HOLY SMOKE, I WAS RIGHT!
IT -- IT'S THE
GEORGIO TIARA!



I DIDN'T COME THIS FAR AND TAKE ALL THESE CHANCES JUST TO WALK A PLANK! **GANGWAY, BUSTER!**



LOW BRIDGE!



**COMING THROUGH--
THANKS!**



I'VE GOT TO STAY UNDERWATER UNTIL I CAN GET OUT OF RANGE OF THEIR PISTOLS! MY ONLY CHANCE IS TO GET ABOARD THE GALLEON BEFORE IT SINKS --





WOW -- I GOT HERE JUST IN TIME --
THE STERN'S **DISAPPEARING!**
I'LL GRAB THAT
LINE --



THEN IT WAS AS IF HE WERE IN THE GRIP
OF A WILD HURRICANE --

OH-HHH!



THAT WAS ALL HE REMEMBERED!
THE NEXT THING HE KNEW --

HUH? WHAT --
OH, GOLLY, THEN
EVERYTHING THAT
HAPPENED -- WAS
IT ALL A
DREAM?

LOOK THERE,
EDDIE -- AND TELL
ME FOR YOUR-
SELF WHETHER
IT WAS A
DREAM!



ZOWIE -- IT'S THE TIARA --
I MUST HAVE REALLY BROUGHT
IT BACK, THEN! I CAN BRING IT
TO BRENDA, AS I PROMISED --
AND THEN I'LL **REALLY**
BE HEAD MAN!



BUT SUDDENLY --

OH, N-NO -- IT -- IT'S
DISAPPEARING!



IT'S **G-GONE** NOW --
VANISHED COMPLETELY!
AND THAT MEANS
I CAN'T BRING IT TO
HER -- I'VE LOST
HER FOR GOOD --

THINK SO? LISTEN, EDDIE --
THE GEORGIO TIARA WAS
ONLY A **SYMBOL** -- A
SYMBOL OF BRAVE MEN WHO
FOUGHT FOR THEIR WOMEN!
IT REPRESENTS **COURAGE,**
BRAVERY -- THE VERY
QUALITIES YOU HAD TO
SHOW TO WIN IT!



YOU FOUND COURAGE WITHIN
YOURSELF THAT YOU NEVER KNEW
YOU HAD, AND IT WAS WORTH FAR
MORE THAN ANY BAUBLE! AND
IT'S THAT COURAGE THAT
YOU'VE GOT TO USE TO
GET HER BACK! **ARE**
YOU GAME TO
TRY IT?

IT -- IT MEANS
JUST ME, GOING
BACK TO HER
BAREHANDED --
BUT I'LL
DO IT!



EDDIE! I--I DIDN'T MEAN TO CAST YOU ASIDE THAT WAY--AFTER ALL, IT ISN'T AS IF I DIDN'T CARE FOR YOU! BUT I'VE KNOWN FOR A LONG TIME THAT I COULDN'T REALLY LOVE A **COWARD!**

SUPPOSE YOU WERE TO FIND OUT THAT I **WASN'T** A COWARD, BRENDA? COULD THINGS BE LIKE THEY WERE BETWEEN US?



IT'S IMPOSSIBLE--I COULDN'T TURN JED DOWN NOW, AFTER HAVING TAKEN HIS FRATERNITY PIN! HE--HE SORT OF **MADE** ME TAKE IT, EDDIE--HE'S STRONG, DOMINEERING, AND I WAS AFRAID **NOT** TO! AND YOU'D BETTER GO QUICK--**HERE HE COMES NOW!**



YOU HERE, SISSIE? WHAT'D YOU COME FOR--TO BRING BRENDA THAT **TIARA**, LIKE YOU PROMISED? **HAW-HAW!**

I DON'T HAVE THE **TIARA**--AND WHAT'S MORE, I NEVER **WILL** HAVE!



OKAY, LET'S CUT OUT THE JOKES! YOU GOT NO BUSINESS BEING AROUND **MY** GIRL, SO GET GOING--BEFORE I BEAT YOUR EARS OFF!

YOU DIDN'T LET ME **FINISH!** I HAVEN'T GOT THE **TIARA**, BUT I'VE GOT SOMETHING FAR MORE VALUABLE--**THE COURAGE TO KNOCK YOU KICKING!**



--AND **THIS IS IT!**

UP ON THE HILL BEYOND THE TOWN, THINGS WERE AS THEY HAD BEEN IN **DR. MARTIN'S MARVELOUS MUSEUM!** BUT AS THE ECCENTRIC OLD SCIENTIST PUTTERED ABOUT HIS EXHIBITS, THERE WAS A SMILE ON HIS FACE--AS IF IN REALIZATION OF A JOB WELL DONE--



AND IN THE TOWN BELOW, THERE WAS HAPPINESS--AT LEAST AS FAR AS BRENDA AND EDDIE WERE CONCERNED! HE HAD HIS GIRL--AND SHE HAD--**A REAL MAN!**



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"Call IN THE NIGHT"

IT HAPPENED ON A FROSTY, CLEAR NIGHT...AND IT STARTED WITH A TELEPHONE MESSAGE...



FIRE CHIEF JOHN W. CRANE ANSWERED THE CALL...

A FIRE AT 346 ELM?
WE'LL BE THERE IN
FIVE MINUTES!



SPEEDILY, THE FIRE EQUIPMENT WAS ON THE SCENE...

YOU MEAN
SOMEONE'S
IN THERE?

THERE SURE IS, CHIEF!
OLD MAN PARKINS
LIVES THERE, AND NO
ONE SAW HIM COME
OUT!



ON RECEIVING THIS INFORMATION, FIREMEN MADE A DARING ENTRY INTO THE BUILDING, AND IN THE NICK OF TIME...

JUST PUT YOUR WEIGHT ON
US, POP! WE'LL GET YOU OUT
OF HERE!

IT'S MY LEGS! COUGH!
...HAVEN'T BEEN ABLE
TO USE 'EM IN TWO
YEARS! TRIED TO GET
OUT! COUGH!
...COULDN'T!



LATER, WHEN FIRE CHIEF CRANE MADE OUT HIS REPORT...

WE RECEIVED THE CALL ON THE
FIRE BY SOMEONE WHO SAID
HE WAS **DANNY**! WOULD YOU
KNOW WHO THAT WOULD BE,
MR. PARKINS?

DANNY IS MY SON,
CHIEF! A REAL
FINE BOY!



YES, CHIEF, DANNY IS A FINE BOY!
HE'S ALWAYS LOOKIN' AFTER ME!
HE WOULDN'T LET ANY HARM COME
TO HIS OLD FATHER, **NOT
DANNY!**

THEN WHY
ISN'T HE
HERE
NOW?



HOW **COULD** HE BE...WHEN HE DIED AT
BATAAN? BUT HE'S HERE, WATCHING OVER
ME...JUST LIKE HE **PROMISED** HE ALWAYS
WOULD!



A SUBSEQUENT CHECK PROVED THAT
CPL. DANIEL PARKINS WAS KILLED ON BATAAN
ON APRIL 6, 1942, AND ALL ATTEMPTS TO TRACE FIRE
CHIEF CRANE'S MYSTERIOUS CALLER HAVE GONE UNSOLVED...

The STRANGE ONES!

THOSE LIGHTS!
THEY'RE BLINDING
ME! I'M LOSING
CONTROL!

OUT OF THE DARKNESS
THEY CAME, LIKE TWIN
FLAMING EYES! WHERE
DID THEY ORIGINATE, AND
WHAT WAS THEIR SECRET?
AND MORE IMPORTANT
STILL, WHAT WAS THE
MISSION OF... **THE
STRANGE ONES?**



AND WHEN
THE ECHOING
REVERBERA-
TIONS FADED
INTO THE
NIGHT...

HE
MUSTN'T
DIE!

HE WON'T!
HE IS MUCH
TOO IMPORTANT!
HE IS OUR **ONE**
CHANCE!



SLOWLY, THE LIGHT FROM THE STRANGE PAIR INTENSIFIED, BATHING THE UNCONSCIOUS MAN IN A RADIANT, WARM GLOW...

W...WHAT HAPPENED? WHERE AM I?

I MUST HAVE FALLEN ASLEEP AT THE WHEEL...THEN DROVE OFF THE ROAD! I WAS GOING BACK TO THE LAB! I'VE WORK TO DO...MOST IMPORTANT WORK!

FROM THAT NIGHT FORWARD, AND DURING THE WEEKS THAT FOLLOWED, GLENN PARKER, ONE OF THE NATION'S OUTSTANDING YOUNGER SCIENTISTS, WORKED TIRELESSLY ON HIS NEW PROJECT...

BUT YOU'VE GOT TO TAKE TIME OUT TO EAT, DARLING!

NOT NOW, OLGA! TAKE IT AWAY!

BUT YOU CAN'T GO ON LIKE THIS, GLENN! WHAT IS THIS SUDDEN PROJECT OF YOURS, THIS SECRECY? I'M YOUR WIFE! I'VE A RIGHT TO KNOW!

STOP IT, OLGA! I DON'T LIKE PRYING...

AND NOW, AS A SPECIAL FAVOR, WILL YOU GET OUT? WHEN I WANT YOU, I'LL CALL! IS THAT CLEAR?

Y--YES... PERFECTLY CLEAR!

AND AS THE DOOR CLOSED BEHIND HIS WIFE, THE **STRANGE ONES**, AS WAS THEIR HABIT, ASSUMED THEIR GLOWING FORMS...

SEE, THE WORK GOES WELL! SOON IT WILL BE FINISHED, EXACTLY AS YOU INSTRUCTED ME!

MEANWHILE, IN ANOTHER PART OF THE HOUSE...

YES, DOCTOR, I'M TERRIBLY WORRIED! THIS ISN'T LIKE GLENN! HE'S EVEN GOTTEN TO TALKING TO HIMSELF! YOU MUST HELP ME... **PLEASE!**

IT WASN'T UNTIL A WEEK LATER, WHEN HIS STRANGE MACHINE WAS COMPLETED, THAT GLENN PARKER SUBMITTED TO AN EXAMINATION BY THEIR FAMILY PHYSICIAN...

OLGA HAS DRAMATIZED EVERYTHING, DOCTOR! I'M PERFECTLY FINE!

ON THE CONTRARY! YOU'RE A BUNDLE OF RAW NERVES, AND I'M GOING TO MAKE YOU RELAX!



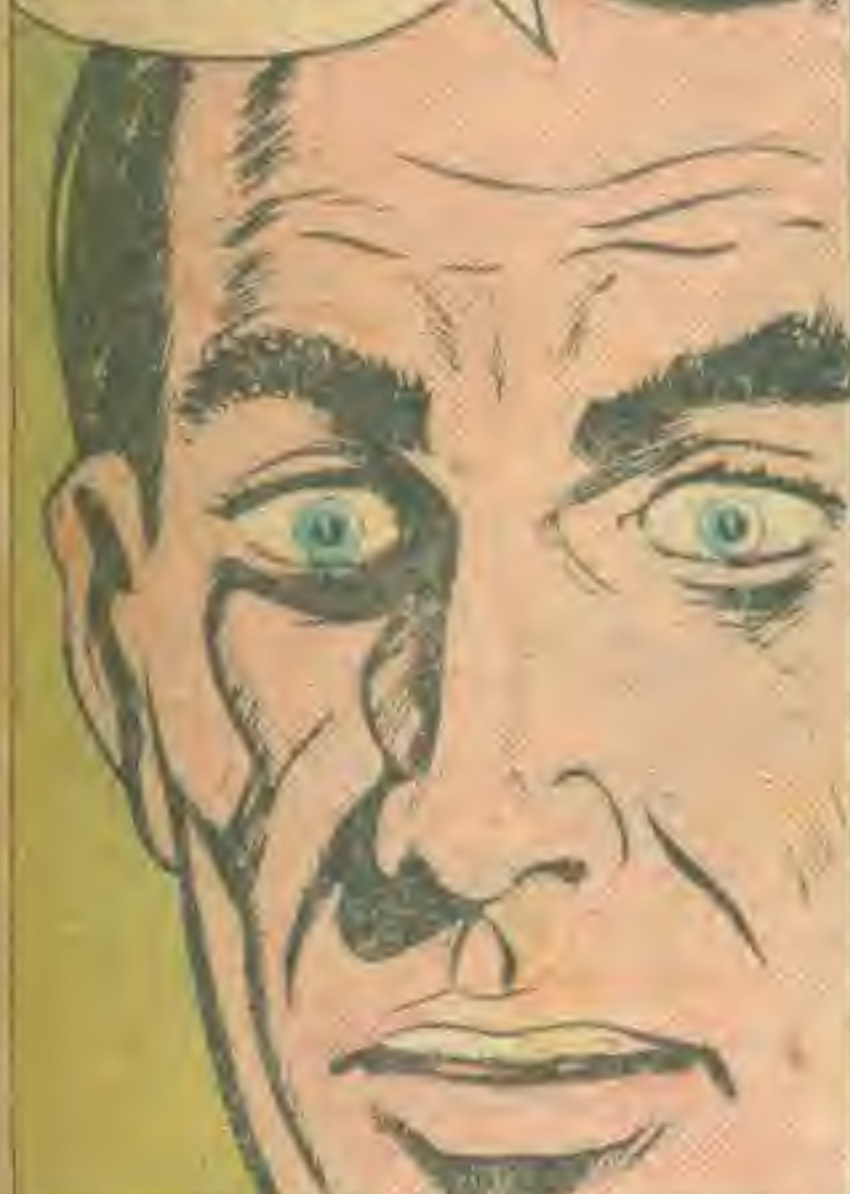
SLOWLY, THE DOCTOR IMPOSED AN HYPNOTIC STATE UPON HIS PATIENT...

I WANT YOU TO RELAX... COMPLETELY SO! AND I WANT TO HEAR EVERYTHING! SPEAK YOUR MIND! REVEAL YOUR DEEPEST SUBCONSCIOUS THOUGHTS, BARE ANY SECRET YOU MAY HAVE!



YES... I SHALL...

...THEY HAVE COME A LONG WAY, FROM A PLANET CALLED THOKEL. BUT THEY ARE ONLY LIGHT, SUBSTANCE WITHOUT REAL FORM! BUT THE MACHINE THEY HAD ME BUILD, IT IS MOST IMPORTANT...



THE JOURNEY THROUGH SPACE HAD TO BE MADE AS THEY ARE, BUT THE MACHINE WILL RESTORE THEIR PHYSICAL SELVES! WITHOUT THE MACHINE, THEIR **INVASION** CANNOT BEGIN!

INVASION! OH, NO!



WHAT IS IT ALL ABOUT, DOCTOR? HE'S NOT HIMSELF! HE'S SUBJECTED TO ANOTHER'S WILL!

THIS MACHINE HE'S BEEN WORKING ON... I WANT TO SEE IT!



SUDDENLY THE LIGHTS DIMMED AND A LOW HUM FILLED THE AIR...

THAT'S IT NOW! HE HAD IT ON FOR A MOMENT THIS AFTERNOON! IT WAS ONLY A TEST, HE SAID! HE TOLD ME TO PAY NO ATTENTION!

COME, HURRY!



AND WHEN THEY REACHED THE LAB...

THOSE LIGHTS, DOCTOR! WHAT ARE THEY?

I DON'T KNOW!



WITH A RASPING CLANG, THE METAL DOOR WAS THROWN BACK AND...

THEY'RE COMING OUT! DOCTOR, DO SOMETHING!

SNATCHING UP A BEAKER, THE DOCTOR HURLED IT WITH ALL HIS FORCE...

RUN, OLGA!

SMASH!



ITS VISION IMPAIRED, THE CREATURE FIRED WILDLY, THE STRANGE RAY CUTTING AN ANGRY, HISSING SWATH! THERE WAS A BLINDING FLASH OF LIGHT...

WHAT... HAPPENED?

IT'S ALL RIGHT NOW! THEY'VE DESTROYED THEMSELVES, AND THE MACHINE! EVERYTHING WILL BE ALL RIGHT!



OLGA, WHERE ARE YOU?

IT'S GLENN! HE WANTS ME!

I DON'T KNOW WHAT CAME OVER ME, BUT I HAD NO WILL OF MY OWN!

IT'S OVER, DARLING! THEY'RE DESTROYED! YOU'RE FREE!

AND I SERIOUSLY DOUBT IF THEY'LL EVER DARE AN INVASION OF EARTH AGAIN, NOT AFTER THE DEFEAT THEY SUFFERED!

FOR OUR SAKE, DOCTOR, AND THE WORLD'S, I PRAY YOU'RE RIGHT!



The END!

From **YOUR EDITOR** to **YOU!**

All aboard the mail wagon! Have you written to us yet? If not, we'd like to hear from you! We want to know what you think of this magazine of ours—what you like about it and what you don't like. Address your letter to The Editor, "Forbidden Worlds," 347 Fifth Avenue, New York 16, N. Y. And now—here are some selected messages from our readers!

"Dear Editor:—

This is my first letter to you, but I've been reading 'Forbidden Worlds' for a long while. In your July No. 68 issue, 'The Circular Trap' was very good, but 'Rocket To Nowhere' was not the kind of a story I would expect to read in your mag. Except for that, it was real sharp! A friend and fan,

—Tom Gould, San Diego, Calif."

You're hitting us where it hurts, Tom. We went all out for "Rocket To Nowhere," and thought it was a different sort of yarn, about real people doing real things in the world of the very near future. Matter of fact, we liked it far better than "Circular Trap." But you're entitled to your opinion. We'd like to hear other readers on this subject!

"Dear Editor:—

I've just been reading the July 'Forbidden Worlds' and was surprised to find a story like 'The Circular Trap' in it, as you have been writing so many space stories lately. I liked it. I have just been wondering, since it is against your policy to write of werewolves and such, if you would ever consider writing stories about Irish banshees and legends of other countries. I think it would prove very interesting. In closing, I really like your magazine, and hardly ever buy any other.

—Noreen Balogh, Pittsburgh, Pa."

Noreen's is another vote for "Circular Trap." Could it be that we're all wrong about that yarn, and these two readers are right? If so, we'll take it like a man! About legends of other countries—we'd be pleased to feature them, if truly good stories containing them came along. That includes banshees, too! By the way—ever read "The Strangeness of Mr. McGillicuddy"? That was a leprechaun story published in our No. 88 issue of "Adventures Into The Unknown."

"Dear Editor:—

I know when I buy 'Forbidden Worlds,' I won't get gypped if it's a good amazing story-science fiction comic book I'm after. In some others of the same type—excluding your companion magazine, 'Adventures Into The Unknown'—the stories are all under five pages. Sure, there may be more stories, but they're so short you can't work up any interest in them. You do just the opposite, which is why I enjoy your magazines best. Keep up the good work!

—Dean Silverstone, Seattle, Wash."

That's a policy of ours, Dean—give the readers enough to sink their teeth into. If your story's long enough, you can really go to town in building a thrilling plot!

"Dear Editor:—

I agree with you when you say that werewolf stories are jerky and I think your own plots are better, but in your February issue, No. 65, 'Warlike Episode' and 'No Place To Hide' were duds, although I liked 'There's A New Moon Tonight' and 'What's The Answer?' I agree with Mike Bradshaw of Oakland, Calif., that you should have more space stories, and I'd sure like an annual. Lastly, I'd like you to carry some weird stories that are true!

—Robert Ron, Jr., Somersworth, N.H."

Sometimes, with the best intentions in the world, we run a story that doesn't turn out as well as we thought it would—thus giving proof that we're only human. Now, those true stories that you mention. Regrettably, truth isn't stranger than fiction at all—it's the other way around when our writers start exercising their imagination. But if and when really exciting fact comes our way, we're glad to use it!

"Dear Editor:—

This is the first time I've ever written to a magazine, but 'Forbidden Worlds' certainly deserves my first letter. I always buy it at my local store whenever I can, but sometimes they're sold out—no wonder! The best story I've ever read was 'There's A New Moon Tonight,' in your April issue. Boy, you deserve a medal for that one! In my opinion, all your issues are the best.

—Robert Vasseur, East Detroit, Mich."

These are wonderful compliments, and we've got to admit that we love them. We'll work very hard to continue to earn such applause!

"Dear Editor:—

I've just finished reading 'Forbidden Worlds.' 'Rocket Pilot Robbins Reporting' was a pretty bad story. I hate to say this, as you are the tops in your field. But I must sound off. Please do not drop your high standing by printing such stories. 'Subhuman Giants' was the best story in this issue. 'Grandma Was Right' was fair, and 'Disaster In Tibet' was wonderful. But you are only human, and I'm sure other readers, like myself, always give you room to misjudge what a good story is sometimes. I've been a fan of yours for some time, and first saw your companion magazine, 'Adventures Into The Unknown,' in Germany, where I am stationed. I liked it right off—it was new, different and exciting. One last thing—print two instead of one insulting letters from ignorant people—I get a laugh out of them!

—A/2C Lawrence I. Wright, APO
San Francisco, Calif."

Sorry you didn't like "Rocket Pilot Robbins," and would like to figure out why. Can it be that you don't go for science fiction yarns? About the letters we print—we don't make any policy of printing one, two or any number of insulting letters. On occasion, we'll run them if we think they should be brought to our readers' attention. They don't scare us one little bit!

"Dear Editor:—

While looking through the comics on a newsstand some months back, I came across a copy of *'Forbidden Worlds.'* From then on, I've never missed a single issue. I've become a very avid fan of yours and think that your magazine should get the praise it deserves. You must have a staff of spectacular writers, geniuses in their field. In other words, boy! Is this magazine swell! Three cheers for *'Forbidden Worlds'!*

—Lydia Bonsante, Norwood, N.J."

Come now, Lydia—no magazine could be quite that good! We'd love to think that we rated ten percent of this applause, even. But many, many thanks for them kind words!

"Dear Editor:—

I first discovered *'Forbidden Worlds'* when my brother was attracted by one of your colorful covers. My dad, a science fiction fan, liked your story *'Undersea Empire.'* Personally, I liked *'The Cabin In The Woods.'* My mother's a classics lover—but she likes your magazine as well!

—Anthony Steer, Cincinnati, O."

Sounds like we're becoming a sort of family affair, with something for everyone. That we like!

"Dear Editor:—

I've just read the April issue of *'Forbidden Worlds.'* *'There's A New Moon Tonight'* was very good, as was *'Wartime Epitome'* and *'Return Of A Hero.'* I liked the one-page story *'What's The Answer'* very much, and I believe you should have more of that type. The one error in the whole issue, I believe, was *'No Place To Hide.'* I've been reading your magazine for two years now, and I believe that this was one of your worst stories—but I'm sure I got my money's worth in the four stories that were good! A loyal fan—

—Dan Ryan, Buffalo, N.Y."

Know something, Dan? We're inclined to agree with you. We weren't too crazy about that yarn ourselves. We'll try to do better—that's a promise!

"Dear Editor:—

You've heard from me before and I requested that you print more exciting stories. Well, I must say you've certainly improved! And who cares about misleading covers? It's just the stories *inside* the covers that impress me. A one hundred karat gold medal should be pinned on you for *'Forbidden Worlds'*—the most wonderful magazine in the world!

—Paula Lucio, Madison, Wisc."

Glad you feel that our stories are getting more thrilling, Paula. We'll not only try to keep them that way, but more so. This cover business—we hate the very sound of the word "misleading" as applied to them. Please remember, all you readers, that there's nothing being put over on you. It's just a rhubarb over whether the covers should be kept identical with the subject-matter of a story—or imagination be used!

"Dear Editor:—

The first issue of your cool mag that I ever read was No. 68. When I bought it, I didn't know what a treat I was in for. I am a science fiction fan, I

watch Science Fiction Theater, and when I can, I go to the movies to see a good science fiction picture. Why don't you put a serial story in your mag, like the 35 cent science fiction books? And couldn't you add a few more pages? I'm going to tell all the guys at school about *'Forbidden Worlds.'* And your staff deserves congratulations from all parents!

—Richard Askey, Los Angeles, Calif."

We want to please you on our science fiction efforts, Richard—but don't forget that our magazine isn't just science fiction. It deals with the entire field of amazing stories, from the supernatural all up and down the line. But nix on serials. You see, sometimes a reader is unable to procure a copy of a sold-out issue, and that would mean that he'd have to miss an instalment if we did run serials.

"Dear Editor:—

'Forbidden Worlds' is improving all the time. I've been reading it for many years, and can remember when you featured werewolf and zombie plots. Those types of stories were dull and corny, and I'm glad that you've dropped them in recent years. Now your stories are fascinating, using new plots in each. In witness, let me mention *'Stranger On The Hill,'* *'Taps For A Trumpeteer,'* *'There's A New Moon Tonight'* and *'The Subhuman Giants.'* *'Forbidden Worlds'* gets an A for effort in my book!

—David Brown, So. Boston, Mass."

As long as we can keep improving, we feel that we're bringing our fans what they're entitled to. Yes, there was a time when we fell into the trap of printing the werewolf type of stuff, but we learned better than to continue in that same old rut. Now we're striving hard to make each of our stories fresh, original and challenging!

"Dear Editor:—

The people who know are wise to you. Your stories are a lot of drivel and are drawn by infants. And the fools who read them should have their heads examined. Bet you won't dare to publish this!

—August I. Venter, Savannah, Ga."

Just be calm, Gus, and go back to cutting out your pretty paper dolls. If you have any constructive criticism to offer, send it in. Otherwise, send your poison pen letters elsewhere, please!

"Dear Editor:—

I suppose I've read just about every magazine you've ever published. I make sure to get them as soon as they come out, and I think they're wonderful. Of course, some stories are better than others, but in my opinion, you've yet to print one that hasn't been good—real good, in fact. Yours are the only plots I can ever get interested in, and I wish you'd print ten times more books than you do. I guarantee I'd try to buy them all, and I'm sure others would, too. Some say comic books are for kids, but speaking for myself and a lot of others I know, we grownups enjoy them just as much—as long as they're like *'Forbidden Worlds'!*

—Mrs. Dorothy Gates, Hamden, O."

We're really happy to get a fine letter like this. It makes us feel as if our efforts are being crowned with success. Just remember, all you swell readers, that this is your magazine—and if we're not satisfying you one hundred percent, we want to know it!

THE IRONCLAD WILL!





BY MORNING THE FAKED WILL WAS IN THE SAFE, AND HARRY FELT PLEASED WITH THE NIGHT'S WORK! BUT DAYS PASSED AND UNCLE JUDE STILL LIVED ON--

I DON'T GET TO SEE YOU OFTEN, LAURA-- BUT I STILL FEEL THE SAME WAY! I STILL LOVE YOU--

PLEASE, PHIL-- YOU PROMISED NEVER TO BRING THIS UP AGAIN! I'M ONLY INTERESTED IN MY MUSICAL CAREER--

IS IT THAT I'M TOO HOMELY FOR YOU? I DON'T BLAME YOU-- I DON'T LIKE THIS UGLY MUG OF MINE EITHER--

IT--IT ISN'T THAT! OH, FOR HEAVEN'S SAKE, LET'S STOP THIS! I'M GOING TO UNCLE JUDE'S ROOM!

THE OLD MAN'S CONDITION WAS UNCHANGED--

I-- I CAN'T GET USED TO SEEING HIM LIKE THAT! HE WAS ALWAYS SO STRONG-- HE HAD A WILL OF IRON!

EVERYTHING A MAN COULD WANT HE HAD-- AND HE NEVER DID A DECENT THING IN HIS LIFE! ALL I WANT IS YOU-- AND IT'S HOPELESS! LIFE JUST ISN'T FAIR!

WHAT ABOUT ME? ALL MY CHILDHOOD I SLAVED AT THE PIANO-- FOR NOTHING! BUT HE HAD GENIUS AT HIS FINGERTIPS! IF ONLY HE'D BEEN DIFFERENT TO US, WE'D FEEL DIFFERENTLY NOW!

I STILL FEEL --PITY! HE'S SO RIGID--SO HELPLESS! I WONDER-- CAN HE UNDERSTAND WHAT WE'RE SAYING?

FOR MORE THAN A WEEK ALL THREE RELATIVES HAD BEEN LIVING IN THE MANSION! NOW, THE WAITING WAS TO BE OVER--

THERE'S JUST ABOUT NO CHANCE HE'LL LIVE THROUGH THE NIGHT! I EXPECT THE END MOMENTARILY!

I STILL CAN'T BELIEVE IT! HIS LIFE FORCE WAS SO POWERFUL--

THEY STAYED UP LATE THAT NIGHT, RECALLING THE PAST--

THIS JOINT GIVES ME THE CREEPS! ALL THESE ORIENTAL FIGURINES-- UNCLE JUDE MUST HAVE BEEN A NUT!

LET'S JUST SAY -- PECULIAR! AFTER ALL, WHAT DO WE KNOW OF HIS LIFE IN INDIA?

I DON'T KNOW ABOUT THE REST OF YOU-- BUT I'M GOING TO TURN IN! IF ANYTHING HAPPENS, THE DOCS'LL LET US KNOW!

YOU'RE RIGHT! I'M EXHAUSTED--

HARRY WAS WELL PLEASED WITH HIMSELF---HE EXPECTED PLEASANT DREAMS---

BY MORNING I'LL BE RICH! JUST AS SOON AS I GET MY HANDS ON THAT WEALTH---BOY, WHAT A LIFE I'M GOING TO HAVE!



BUT HIS DREAMS WERE NOT PLEASANT! HE TOSSED AND TURNED IN THE GRIP OF A NIGHTMARE---

PLEASE, MISTER---GIVE ME A DIME FOR A CUP OF COFFEE!

ON YOUR WAY, TRAMP!



A BUM, STUMBLING DOWN SKID ROW, BEGGING FOR A HANDOUT! HE STOPPED ONE MAN AFTER THE OTHER, UNTIL---

YOU DARE ASK ME FOR MONEY---ME? BEAT IT, BEFORE I CALL THE POLICE!

NO! IT CAN'T BE---YOU!



AT THAT MOMENT HE AWOKE IN A COLD SWEAT---

IT---IT ALL SEEMED SO REAL! AND THAT MAN WAS---UNCLE JUDE! BUT DREAMS DON'T MEAN ANYTHING! I'M GOING TO BE RICH---BECAUSE I'VE FORGED AN IRONCLAD WILL!



IT WAS A LONG NIGHT FOR LAURA TOO! SHE FLUNG RESTLESSLY ABOUT---

I JUST CAN'T SLEEP! POOR PHIL---HE LOVES ME SO! AND HE'S SUCH A DECENT FELLOW---IF ONLY HE WEREN'T SO UGLY, HE'D BE SO MUCH HAPPIER---



SHE GOT OUT OF BED, STOOD THOUGHTFULLY AT THE OPEN WINDOW---

MAYBE I COULD HAVE LOVED HIM, THOUGH---IF I WEREN'T SO EMBITTERED! HOW I WISH I COULD STOP THINKING ABOUT THE CAREER I CAN'T HAVE!



IT WAS A PEACEFUL NIGHT, WITH BRIGHT STARS---AND SUDDENLY---

M-MERCIFUL HEAVENS! OH, NO! I'M IMAGINING THIS!



SHE RECOILED IN SHOCK BEFORE THE APPARITION, WHICH DISAPPEARED AS QUICKLY AS IT HAD COME! BUT IN THE SAME INSTANT---

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OH! MY HANDS!



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SHE FLED THE ROOM IN PANIC, WAS QUICKLY ATTENDED BY ONE OF THE DOCTORS IN THE HOUSE...

AND... AND AFTER HIS HEAD APPEARED, THE WINDOW CAME CRASHING DOWN ON MY HANDS! OHHH...

YOU ONLY IMAGINED THE APPARITION, OF COURSE! I'LL GIVE YOU A SEDATIVE AGAINST THE PAIN... TO HELP YOU SLEEP!



BUT THE TERRIFIED GIRL REFUSED TO GO BACK TO HER ROOM! SHE WENT TO SLEEP ON THE COUCH, AND JUST BEFORE THE SEDATIVE TOOK EFFECT...

I... I DIDN'T IMAGINE IT... I KNOW IT WAS THERE! AND NOW BOTH MY HANDS ARE BROKEN! I'M SURE HE WANTED IT TO HAPPEN! HE HATED ME... AND THIS IS HIS WAY OF RUINING ALL MY HOPES FOR GOOD!



PHILIP TYNDAL WAS ALONE WITH HIS GLOOMY THOUGHTS! HE SMOKED FOR HOURS...

I HATE FEELING SORRY FOR MYSELF... BUT I DO! I'D GLADLY GIVE EVERY CENT I MAY INHERIT FROM UNCLE JUDE FOR ONE PROOF OF AFFECTION FROM LAURA!



HIS BODY RELAXED AT LAST, AND HE SLEPT! BUT THE CIGARET HAD FALLEN FROM HIS LIMP FINGERS, SMOULDERED DANGEROUSLY ON THE BLANKET...



HE AWOKE ONLY WHEN THE BED WAS IN FLAMES! HIS CALL CARRIED THROUGH THE WHOLE RESTLESS HOUSE...



STARTLED SERVANTS QUICKLY EXTINGUISHED THE FLAMES, AND DOCTORS WERE ABLE TO TREAT PHIL IMMEDIATELY...

MY... FACE! IT'S BADLY BURNED, ISN'T IT?

TAKE IT EASY... EASY! YOU'LL BE ALL RIGHT!



AS HE SANK INTO A DRUGGED SLEEP...

STRANGE THE WAY ONLY HIS FACE WAS BURNED! POOR CHAP...

I'M AFRAID HE'S GOING TO BE BADLY SCARRED!



TOWARDS DAWN, THE HEART OF JUDE TYNDAL CEASED TO BEAT...

HE'S AT PEACE AT LAST!

THE WAY HE HUNG ON! THAT MAN HAD A... WILL OF IRON!



THAT MORNING HARRY, LAURA AND PHIL WERE SUMMONED TO THE LIBRARY...

I HAVE OPENED THE SAFE AND HAVE DISCOVERED THAT YOUR UNCLE INDEED LEFT A WILL! HE LEAVES ALL HIS MILLIONS TO HIS NEPHEW HARRY!

HOLY SMOKE! WELL... WHAT DO YOU KNOW?



EVERYTHING TO ... HIM? BUT WHY? SURELY WE DESERVE SOMETHING!

THAT IS NOT FOR ME TO SAY! THIS WILL IS IRONCLAD... CONTESTING IT WOULD BE USELESS! IT WILL BE SEVERAL WEEKS BEFORE YOU GET THE MONEY, MR. TYNDAL ... THESE THINGS TAKE TIME!



TRY TO SPEED THINGS UP, WILL YOU? I CAN USE SOME MONEY... REAL BAD! SORRY, LAURA! YOU TOO, PHIL... BUT I GUESS THE MONEY'S MINE!

THIS JUST PROVES TO ME THAT UNCLE JUDE WAS UNJUST! YOU DESERVE LESS THAN EITHER OF US!



FOR LAURA AND PHIL, IT WAS A BLEAK DAY! BEFORE LEAVING THE HOUSE FOR GOOD...

IT WILL BE SEVERAL WEEKS BEFORE YOUR BANDAGES CAN BE REMOVED! WE CAN ONLY HOPE FOR THE BEST!

I SUPPOSE I'LL NEED PLASTIC SURGERY... BUT WHERE'LL I EVER GET THE MONEY TO PAY FOR IT?



WHEN THE TIME CAME FOR GOOD-BYE...

I GUESS WE WON'T BE SEEING EACH OTHER ANY MORE! GOOD LUCK, LAURA ... FROM THE BOTTOM OF MY HEART...

THANKS, PHIL! I... I WISH THINGS COULD HAVE BEEN DIFFERENT...



IN THE FOLLOWING WEEKS, HARRY TYNDAL WENT ON A SPENDING SPREE! HIS CREDIT EVERYWHERE WAS FIRST RATE...



FOR THE FIRST TIME IN HIS LIFE, HE WAS ABLE TO INDULGE HIMSELF COMPLETELY...

THE HALF DOZEN YOU ORDERED WILL BE READY IN A WEEK, SIR!

I OWE A FORTUNE ALREADY... BUT IT'S ONLY A DROP IN THE BUCKET COMPARED TO WHAT I'LL BE GETTING!



FOR LAURA, THE PASSING WEEKS HAD CONTAINED ONLY DESPAIR! ON THE DAY HER HAND SPLINTS WERE REMOVED...

MY FINGERS FEEL TERRIBLY STIFF!

ONLY BECAUSE YOU HAVEN'T USED THEM IN SO LONG! BELIEVE ME, BOTH HANDS HAVE HEALED REMARKABLY WELL!



THEY HAD BEEN LONELY WEEKS, TOO---AND NOW SHE WAS VERY ANXIOUS TO TALK TO SOME ONE---



MAYBE I'D BETTER VISIT PHIL! POOR PHIL---HE MUST BE TERRIBLY DISCOURAGED---

IT WAS A SOMBER REUNION---

FOR PETE'S SAKE, WILL YOU STOP COMPLAINING ABOUT UNCLE JUDE AND THOSE HANDS OF YOURS? LOOK AT ME! I'D HAVE GIVEN 20 YEARS OF MY LIFE TO HAVE HIS LOOKS!

I'D GLADLY HAVE BEEN A HAG---IF I COULD HAVE BEEN A GENIUS! AND NOW I WON'T BE ABLE TO PLAY AT ALL!



HOW DO YOU KNOW YOU CAN'T? YOU HAVEN'T EVEN TRIED! GO AHEAD---PLAY SOMETHING!

JUST TO SEE HOW AWFUL I'LL BE? WELL---ALL RIGHT---I MAY AS WELL LEARN THE WORST!



RELUCTANTLY SHE SAT DOWN---BUT THE MOMENT SHE TOUCHED THE KEYBOARD---

GREAT SCOTT! WH-WHAT'S HAPPENED?

M-MY HANDS! THEY HAVE A STRENGTH AND POWER LIKE NEVER BEFORE! IT'S...UNCANNY!



IN SOME INCREDIBLE WAY, THE ACCIDENT HAD MADE HER HANDS SUPERB---

OH, PHIL, PHIL! IT---IT'S AS IF I'VE SUDDENLY INHERITED UNCLE JUDE'S TALENT! I---I'M NOT THE SAME PERSON!

I CAN'T TELL YOU HOW HAPPY I AM FOR YOU, LAURA---



I---I'D LIKE TO SPEND MORE TIME WITH YOU, BUT I'VE GOT TO SEE THE DOCTOR TODAY! HE'S GOING TO REMOVE THE BANDAGES, AND I'M NOT LOOKING FORWARD TO IT!

I'LL GO WITH YOU! YOU---YOU'RE AWFULLY SWEET, PHIL---I'VE ALWAYS LIKED YOU---VERY MUCH!

WE'VE GOT TO EXPECT SOME---SCARRING! THIS MAY BE A BIT OF A SHOCK TO YOU---

GO AHEAD, DOC---IT DOESN'T MAKE ANY DIFFERENCE!



LAYER BY LAYER THE BANDAGES WERE REMOVED, AND WITH EACH INSTANT LAURA AND THE DOCTOR GREW MORE ASTOUNDED! AT LAST...

WELL?... SAY SOMETHING! IS IT THAT BAD?

IT'S... IMPOSSIBLE!

I... I...



PHIL JUMPED UP LIKE A WILD MAN, RACED TO A MIRROR! FOR SEVERAL MOMENTS HE COULDN'T SPEAK, AND THEN...

WHY, I... I'M A RINGER FOR UNCLE JUDE!

SUCH A THING ISN'T POSSIBLE! IT'S AS IF YOU'VE INHERITED HIS FACE!



WHEN THEY LEFT THE OFFICE...

I FEEL LIKE A NEW MAN! WH-WHY ARE YOU LOOKING AT ME THAT WAY?

YOU'RE HANDSOME, PHIL... BUT MORE IMPORTANT, YOU'RE... **GOOD!**

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SO PHIL AND LAURA GOT WHAT THEY WANTED MOST--LOOKS AND TALENT! BUT THEIR INNATE AFFECTION NOW CAME TO THE FORE, FOR TWO DAYS LATER, WHEN THEY WERE SUMMONED TO A MEETING AT THE LAWYERS, THEY WERE ALREADY ENGAGED...

WHAT'S ALL THIS ABOUT? WHY HAVE YOU GOTTEN US HERE?

SOMETHING QUITE FANTASTIC HAS HAPPENED! I RECEIVED IN THIS MORNING'S MAIL A NEW WILL! IT CAME FROM JUDE TYNPAL!



YOU'RE CRAZY! UNCLE JUDE'S BEEN DEAD TWO MONTHS!

I WISH I COULD EXPLAIN IT! NEVERTHELESS, THIS WILL IS IN YOUR UNCLE'S HANDWRITING... SIGNED A DAY BEFORE HE DIED! IN IT HE LEAVES EVERYTHING TO CHARITY! I ASSURE YOU IT WILL STAND UP IN ANY COURT!



BUT HE WAS PARALYZED! HE COULDN'T WRITE! THE WILL'S A PHONEY!

DON'T BE SO SURE, HARRY! UNCLE JUDE HAD A WILL OF IRON, REMEMBER? AND HE ALSO STUDIED OCCULT THINGS IN INDIA! MAYBE HE DID HEAR US, MAYBE HE DID LEAVE LAURA AND ME WHAT WE WANTED! AND MAYBE THAT LETTER COMES RIGHT FROM THE BEYOND!



THE ENGAGED COUPLE LEFT THE OFFICE ARM IN ARM, A GLOW OF HAPPINESS ON THEIR FACES! BUT HARRY LEFT STUNNED, WITH AN AWFUL ROAD BEFORE HIM...

HOW AM I GOING TO PAY OFF ALL MY DEBTS? I OWE A FORTUNE! GREAT GUNS, I JUST REMEMBERED THAT DREAM I HAD! I... I SEEM TO BE DOOMED TO WHAT IT FORETOLD! I GUESS UNCLE JUDE WASN'T HELPLESS, AFTER ALL!



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